

# Webinar on PTM with CMS

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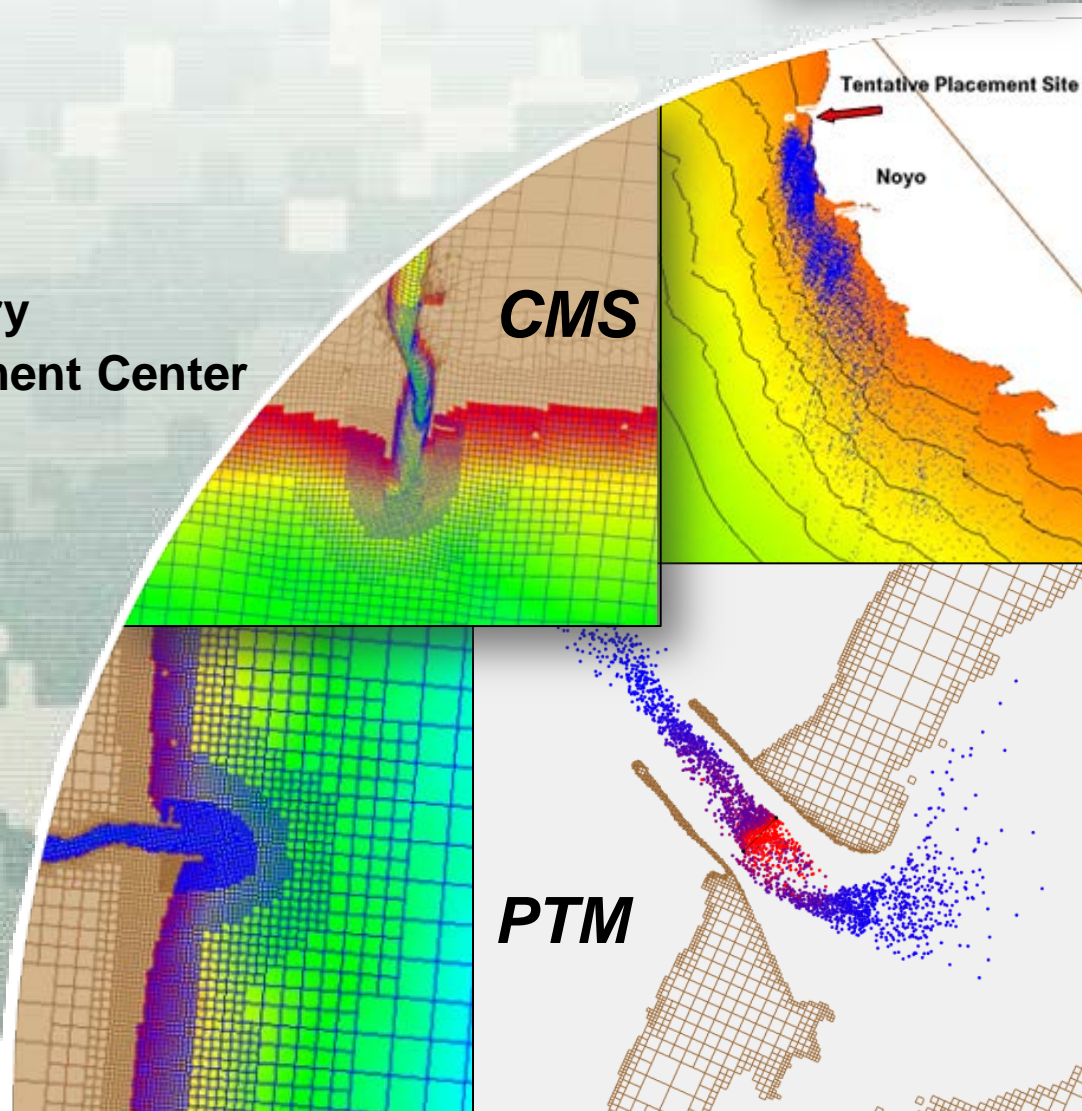
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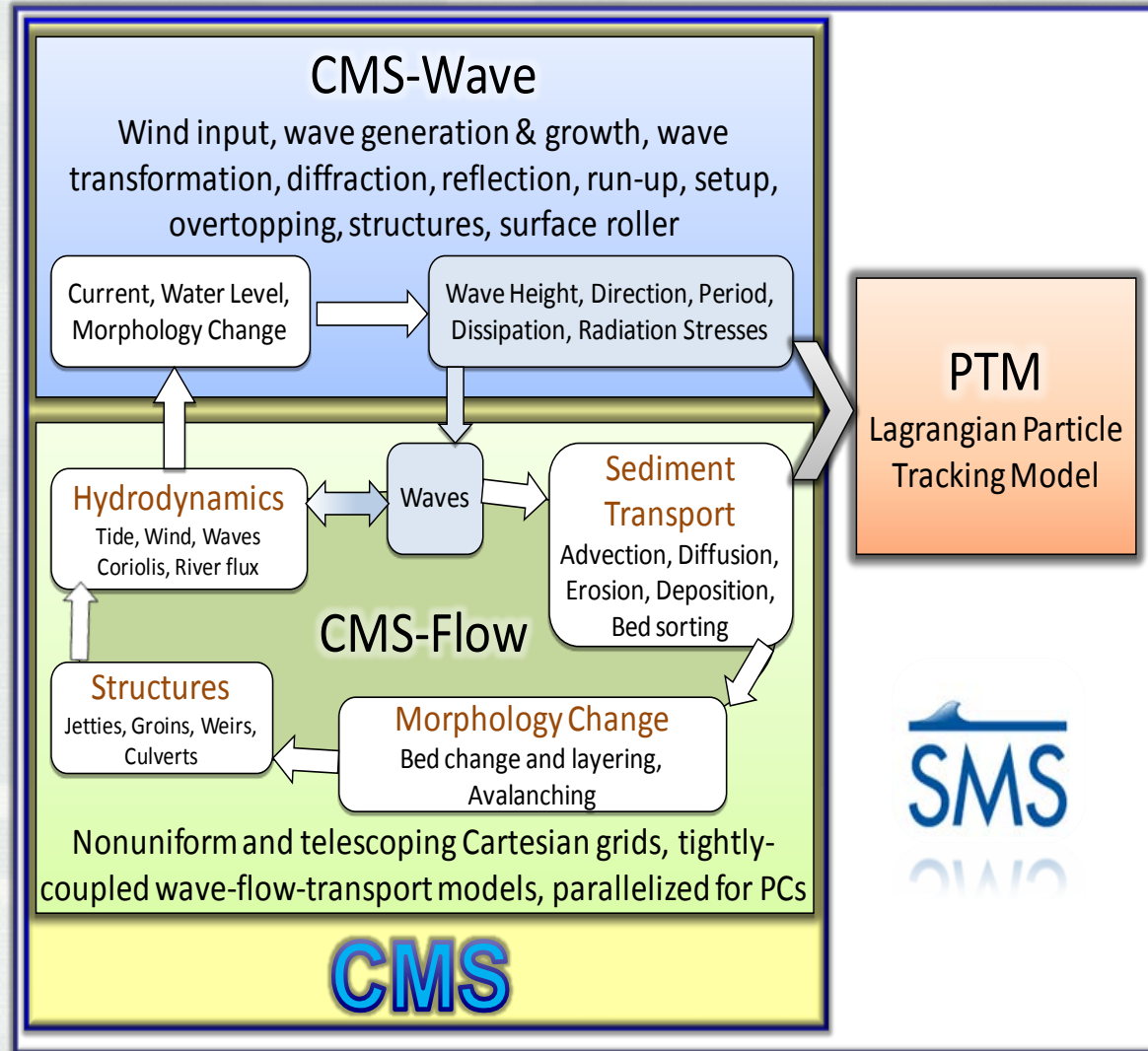
# Introduction to CMS

# Coastal Modeling System

Integrated waves,  
current, and sediment  
transport model in the  
Surface-water  
Modeling System  
(SMS)

CMS-Flow and CMS-  
Wave

Coupled with Particle  
Tracking Model  
(PTM)



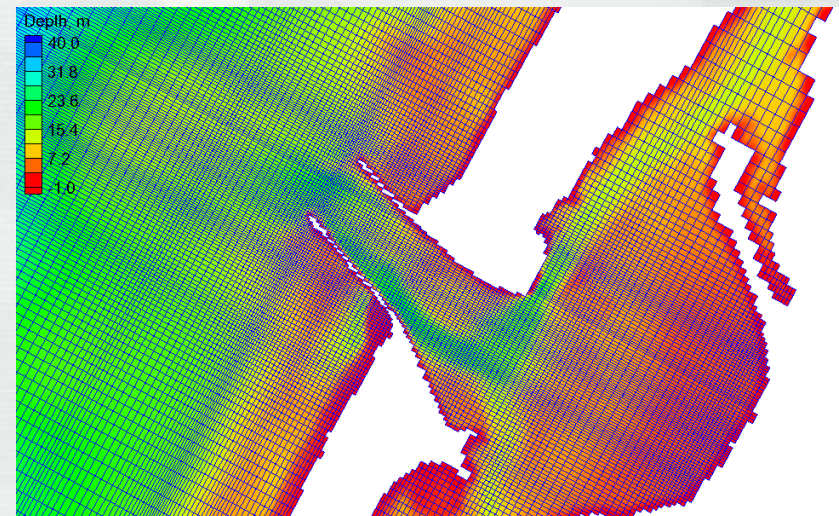
# Objective

- Deliver to engineers' desktops advanced models that can be used as practical tools for coastal inlets, coastal navigation channel, and adjacent beach studies.
  - Models efficiently coupled to simulate relevant physical processes
  - PC-based, user-friendly interface, fast, robust and accurate
  - Manuals, tech reports, journal papers, Wiki, workshops, phone help, etc.

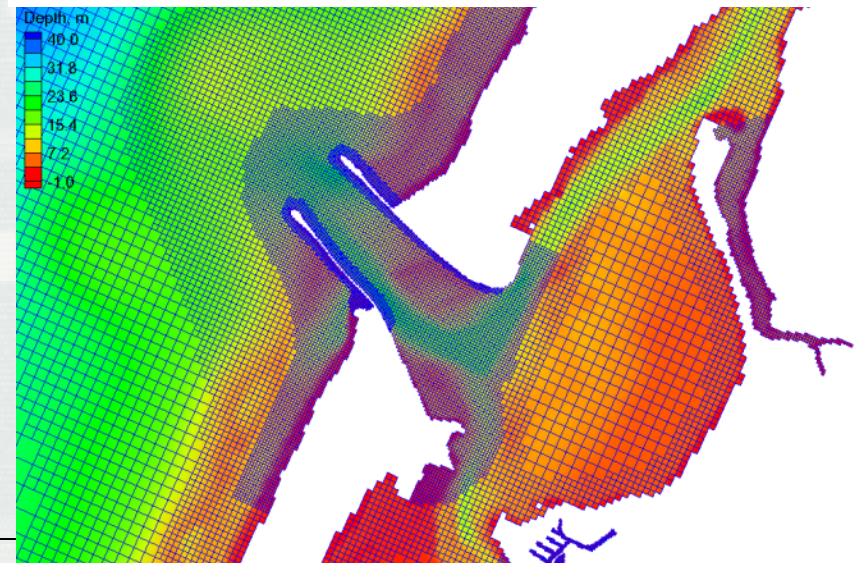


# CMS-Flow: Key Features

- Grid options
  - Non-uniform Cartesian grid: Easy to setup
  - Quadtree (telescoping) grid: Efficient, flexible (presently, only available for Implicit model)
- Solver options
  - Implicit: Tidal flow, long-term morphology change, parallel processing.  
~5 - 30 minute time step
  - Explicit: Flooding, breaching, super-critical flow. ~1 second time step, parallel processing



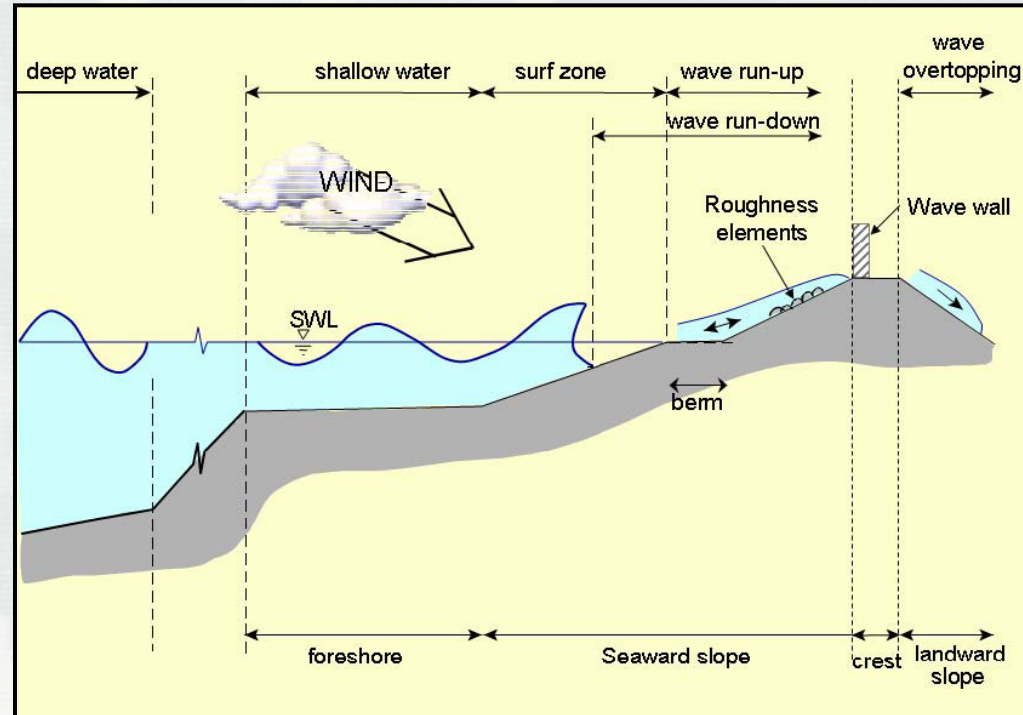
**Non-uniform Cartesian grid (Variable spacing)**



**Quadtree grid (Telescoping)**

# CMS-Wave: Key Features

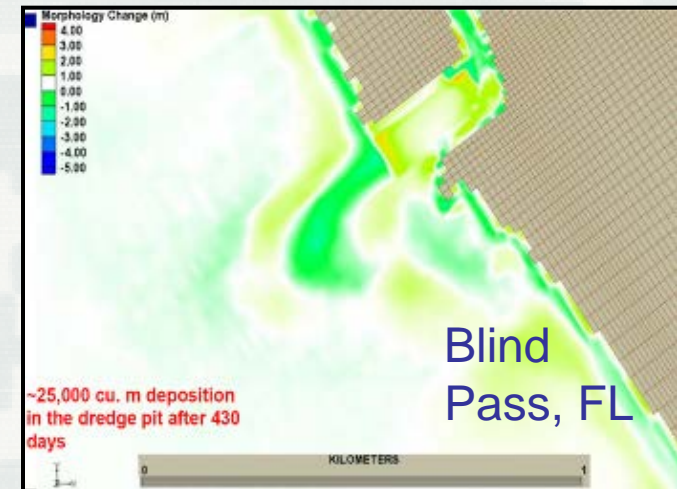
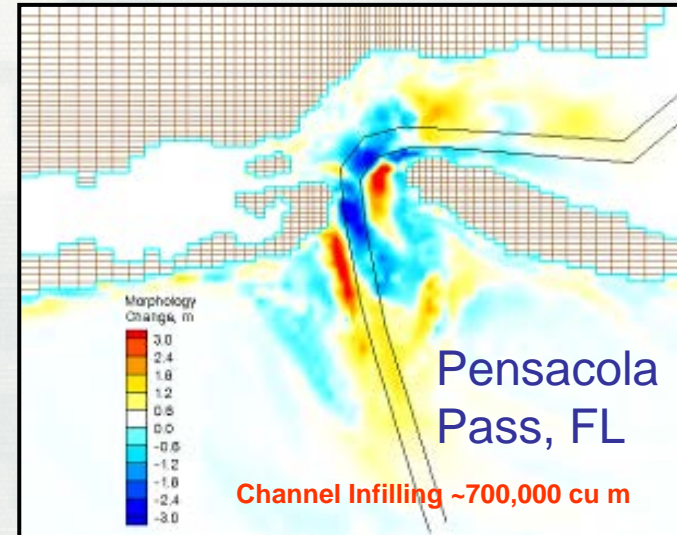
- Shoaling, refraction, diffraction, reflection
- Bottom friction
- White capping
- Wave breaking (4 options)
- Wind generation
- Wave-current, and wave-wave interactions
- Transmission, runup and overtopping
- Muddy bottom
- Automatic grid rotation
- Non-uniform Cartesian grid with nesting capability
- “Fast Mode”





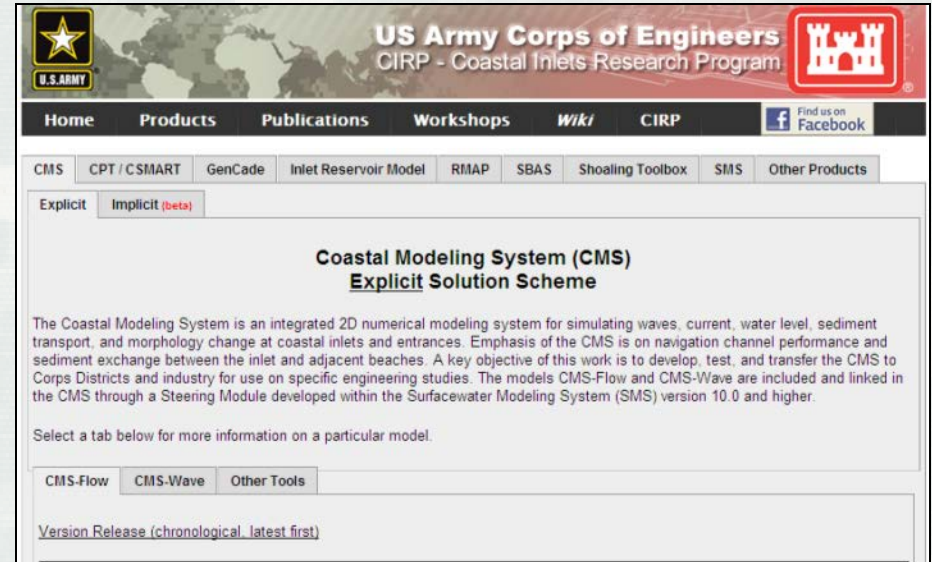
# Sediment Transport: Key Features

- Sediment transport models
  - Equilibrium Total Load (Exner equation)
  - Eq. Bed Load + Advection-Diffusion (AD) Suspended Load
  - Non-Eq. (AD Total Load)
- Sediment transport formulas
  - Lund-CIRP
  - Van Rijn
  - Watanabe
  - Soulsby
- Hard-bottom
- Avalanching
- Bed slope influence on bed load
- Multiple-sized sed. transport (**NEW**)





- Products
  - CMS
  - GenCade
  - Others
- Publications
  - Technical Reports
  - CHETNS
  - Journal Articles
  - Others
- Tech Transfer
  - Upcoming
  - Recent



CIRP website

<http://cirp.usace.army.mil/>

CIRP wiki

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# Introduction to PTM

# Particle Tracking Model

PTM is a Lagrangian particle tracker that models transport processes (advection, diffusion, deposition, etc) of representative parcels to determine constituent (sediment, contaminants, biologicals, etc) fate.

## Input Requirements

- ☐ Grid/Bathymetry Data
- ☐ Hydrodynamic and/or Wave Data
  - ☐ ADH
  - ☐ ADCIRC
  - ☐ EFDC
  - ☐ CH3D
  - ☒ CMS
- ☐ Native Sediment Data
- ☐ User Defined Source
  - Dredging
  - Placement
  - CSOs

## PTM

Time-dependent  
Particle Positions  
 $P(t,X,Y,Z)$

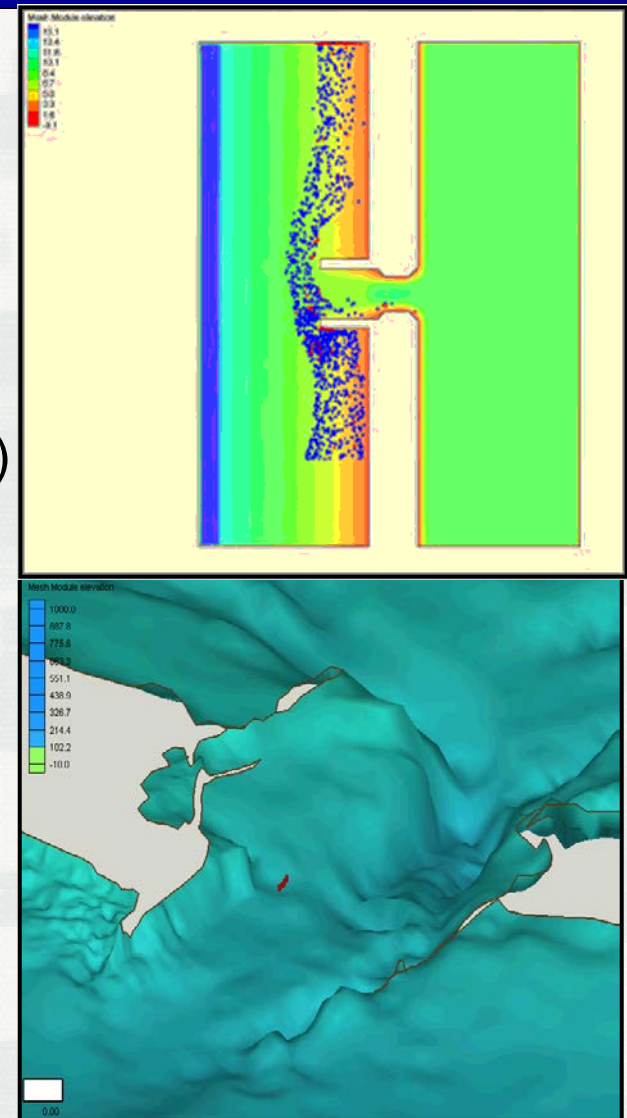
## PTM/Surface-water Modeling System (SMS) Data Analysis Tools

- ☒ Deposition
- ☒ Concentration
- ☒ Dose
- ☒ Exposure
- ☒ Accumulation
- ☒ Pathways



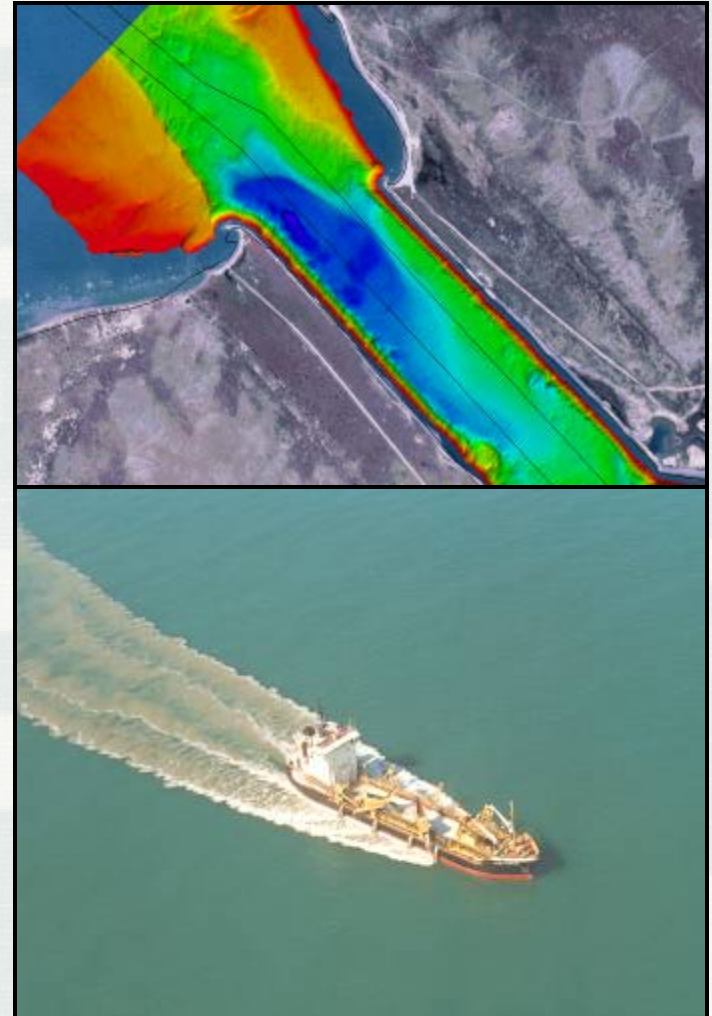
# Calculations in the PTM

- Combined wave-current sediment mobility (Soulsby & Whitehouse) and bottom shear stresses (O'Connor & Yoo, van Rijn)
- Temporally and spatially varying bedforms (Mogridge et al.) and variable bed roughness for growth/decay of bedforms
- Suspended sediment transport (Rouse, van Rijn)
- Bed load transport (van Rijn)
- Settling and entrainment algorithms (Soulsby)
- Hiding and exposure function (Egiazaroff, Kleinhans & van Rijn)
- Influence of bed slope on transport
- Mixed sand-silt-clay sediment transport algorithms
- Fully-3D transport of particles
- Neutrally-buoyant particles



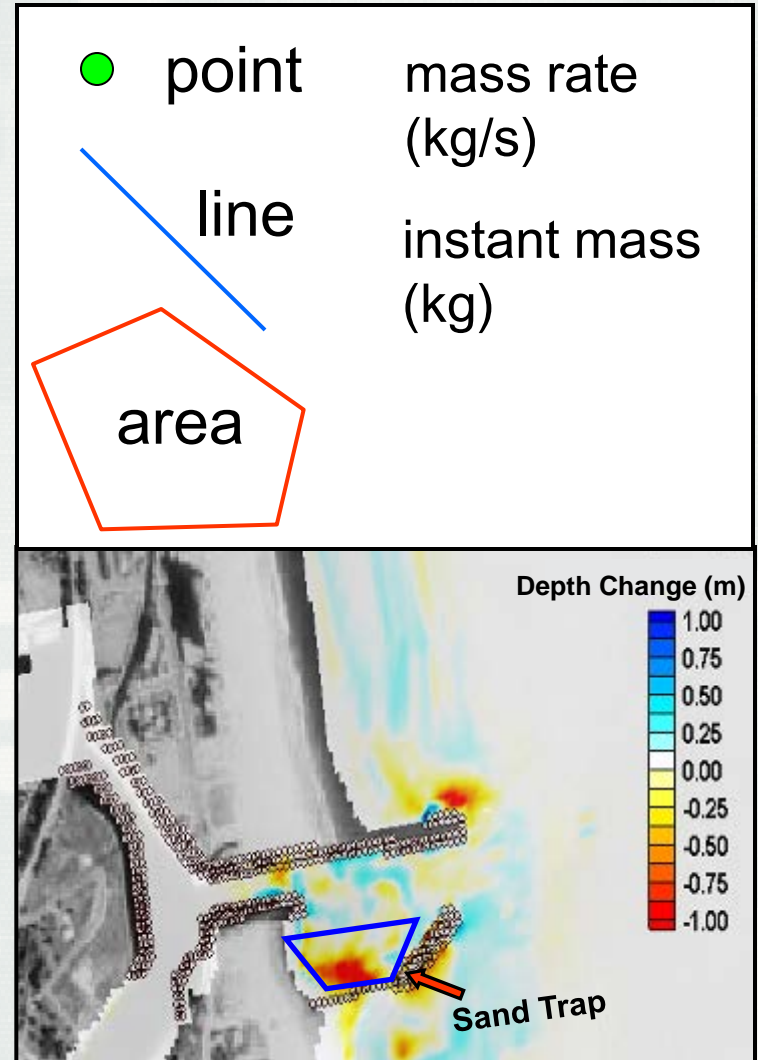
# PTM Capabilities

- Visualize particle pathways and fate
- Calculate residence time
- Monitor specific sources of sediment transported to inlets and navigation channels
- Monitor dispersion of sediment from dredged material placement sites
- Predict accretion and erosion zones
- Forecast potential increase in turbidity and deposition
- Isolate and track particles from other sources, such as outfalls, propeller-induced suspension ...



# Sediment Sources and Traps

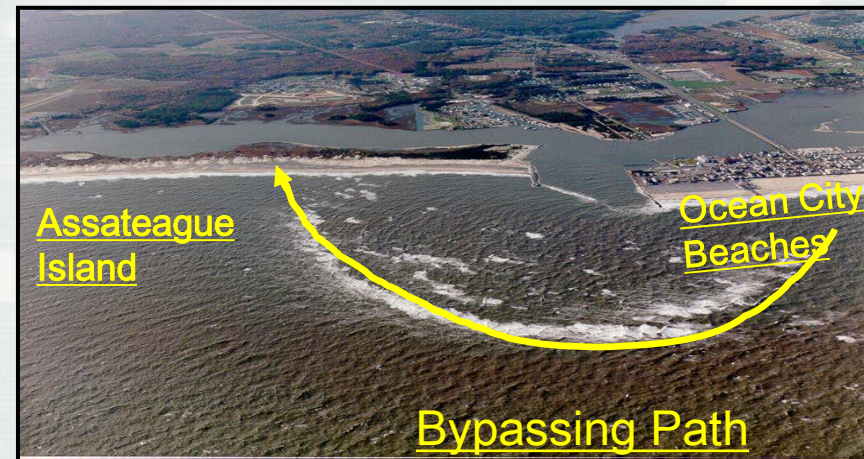
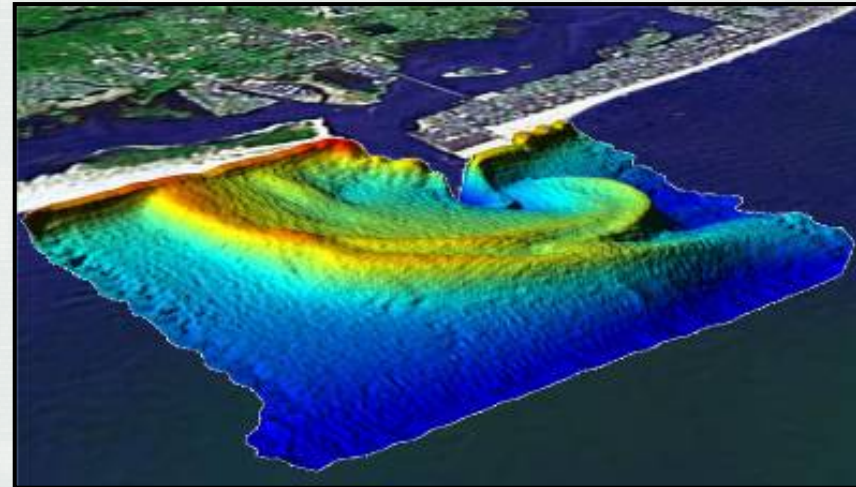
- User-specified particle sources
  - Temporally- and spatially-varying point, line, or area sources
  - Mimic complicated dredging operations
- Particle traps
  - Used to monitor (count/collect) particles
  - Trap types may be defined as a line or area (zone or region)
- Residence time and spatial maps of particle transport parameters
  - Mobility, shear stress, and bedform
  - Pathways





# PTM Applications

- Sediment transport around inlets, shoals, structures, and adjacent beaches
- Sediment transport related to channel design, infilling, and bypassing projects
- Sediment transport from channel dredge and material placement
- Erosional Transport
- Larval fish, fish egg, and water particulate transport





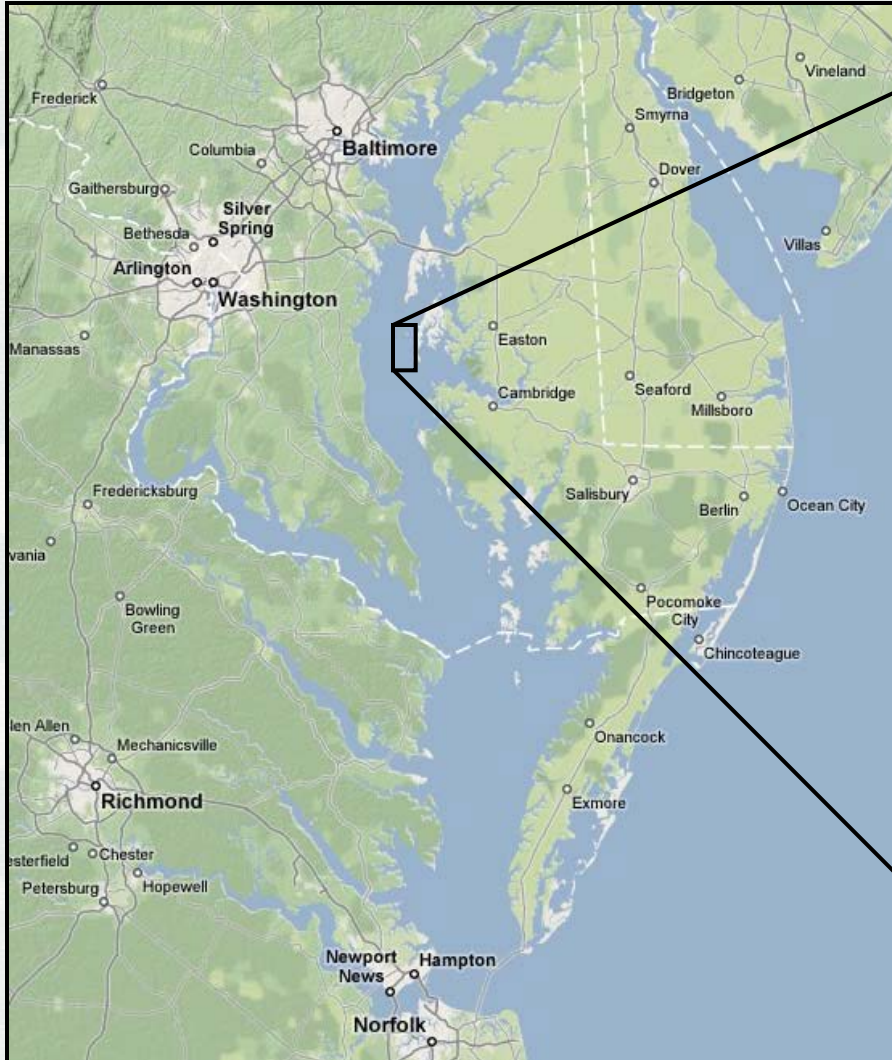
# PTM Applications





# Poplar Island, MD

## Beneficial Use of Sediment Dredged from Navigation Channel



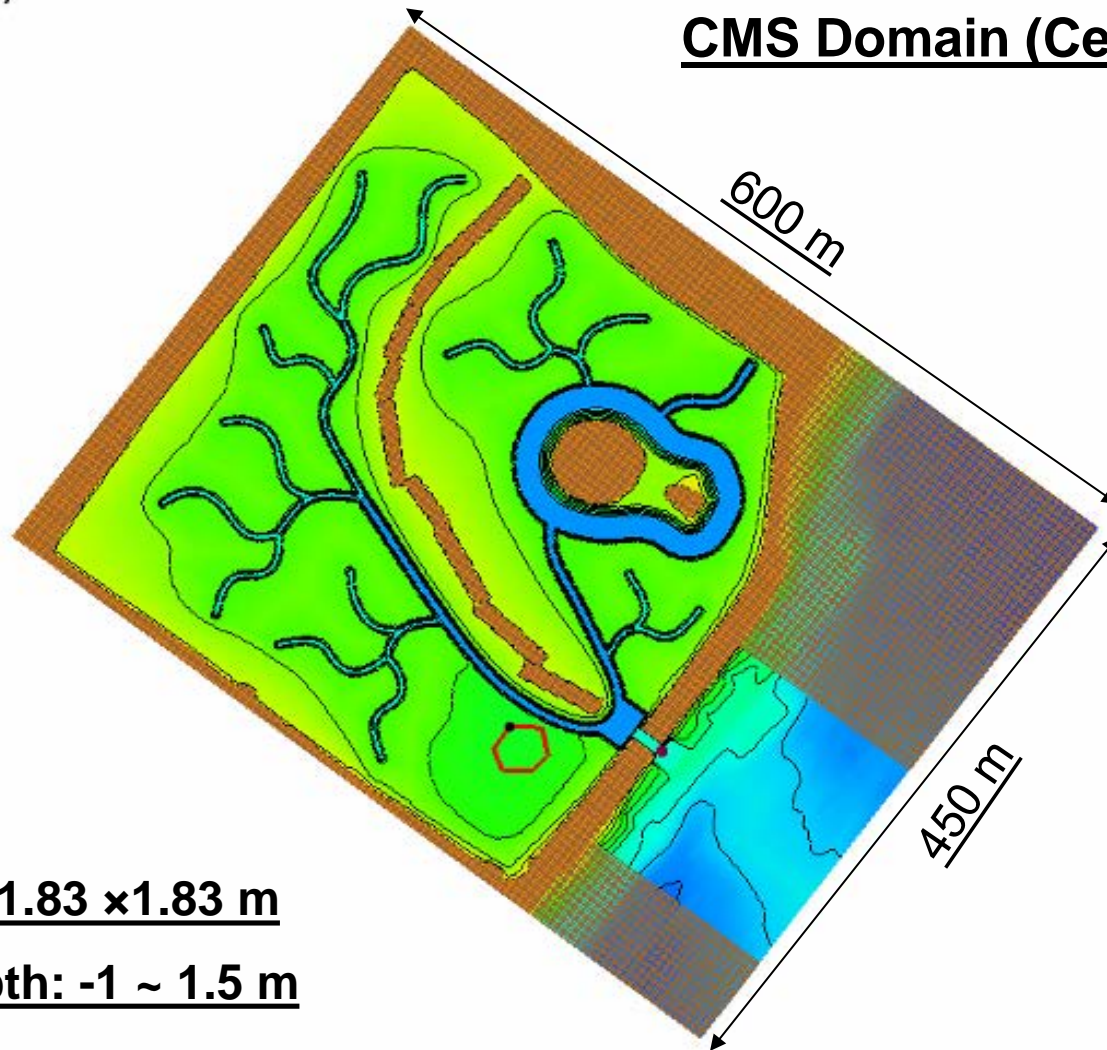


# Poplar Island, MD

Depth (m)



**CMS Domain (Cell-1A)**



**Cell Size: 1.83 × 1.83 m**

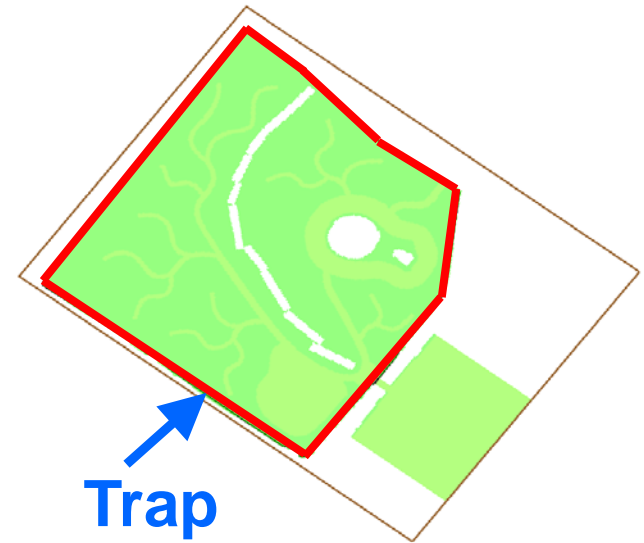
**Water Depth: -1 ~ 1.5 m**

# Residence Time

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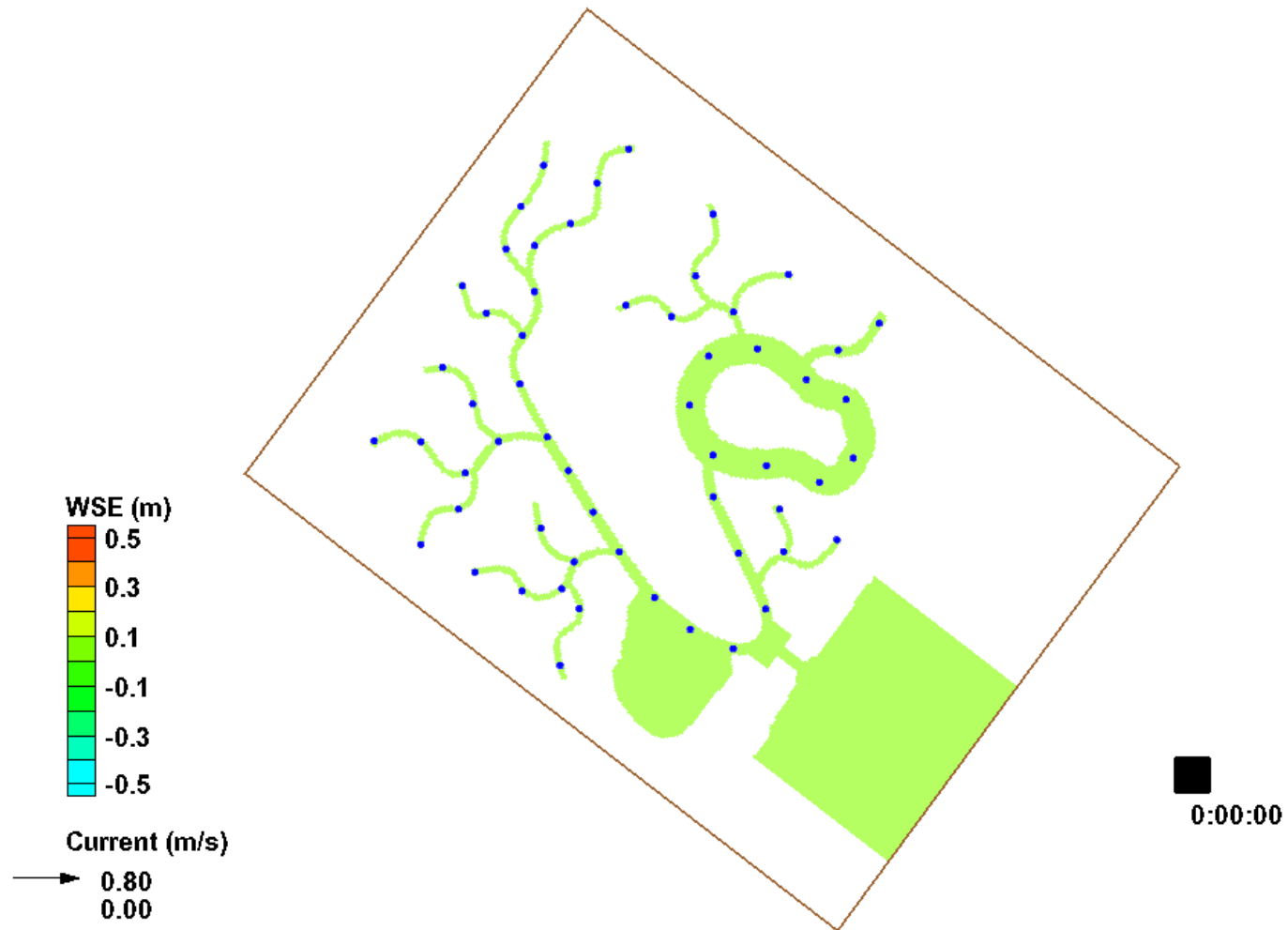
Time Particles Exit Trap – Time Particles Enter Trap  
(TIME OUT) (TIME IN)

- 57 particle point sources  
Instant mass release
- Space Distance  
~30 m
- Time interval of release  
1 hour
- Release duration  
12 hours (1 tidal cycle)



Sources of Particle Release

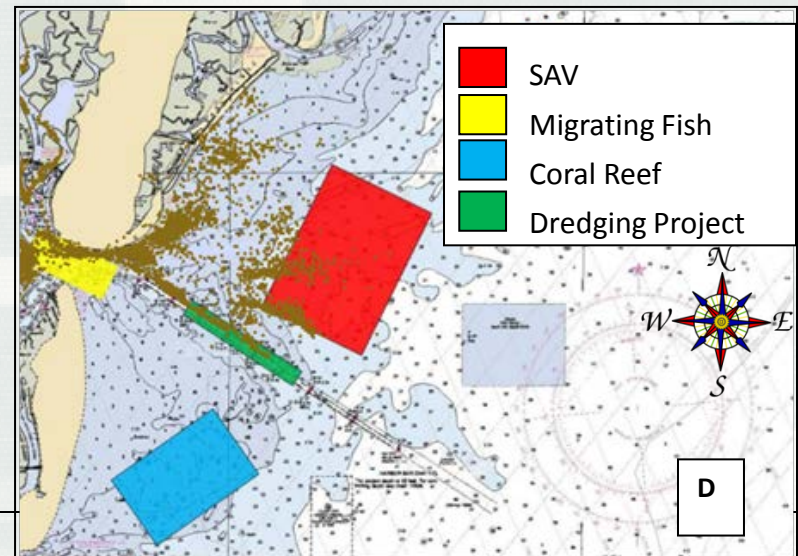
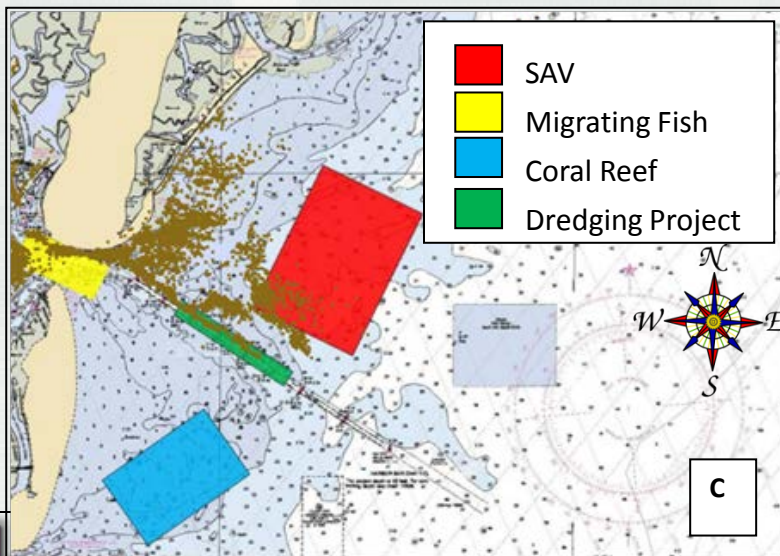
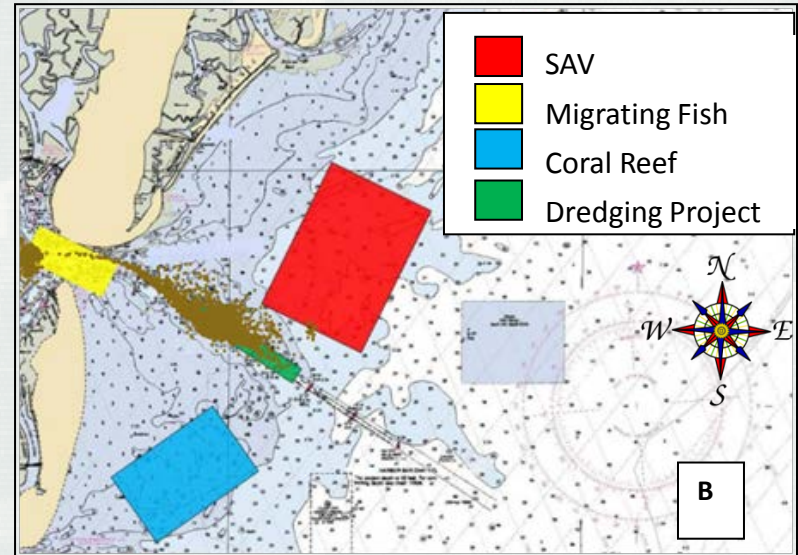
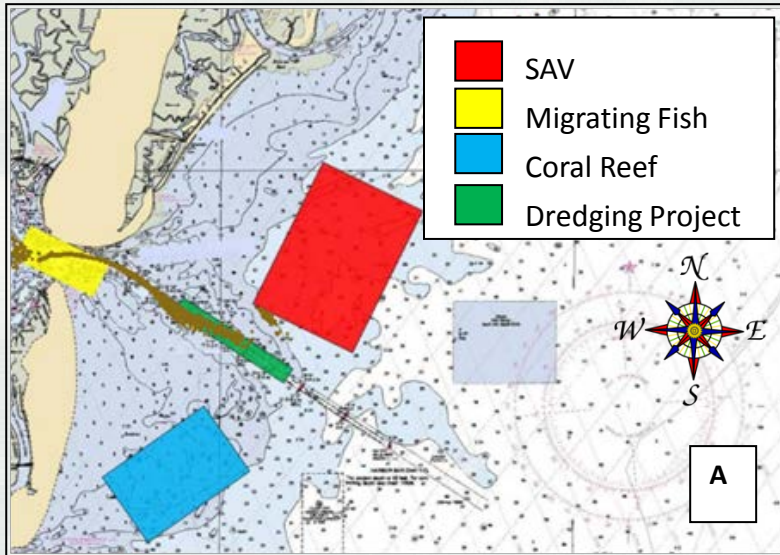
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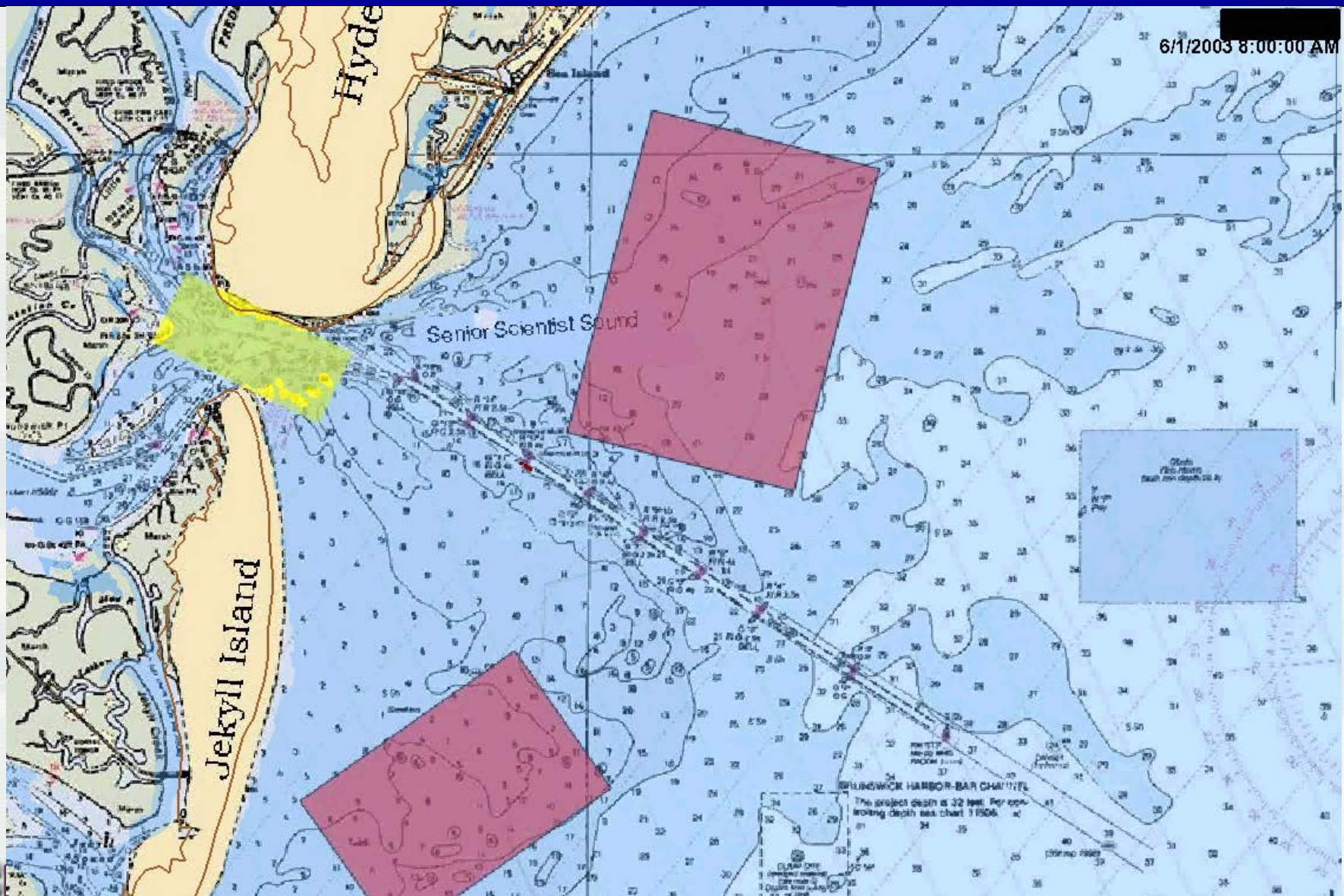


# Dredging Materials and Management



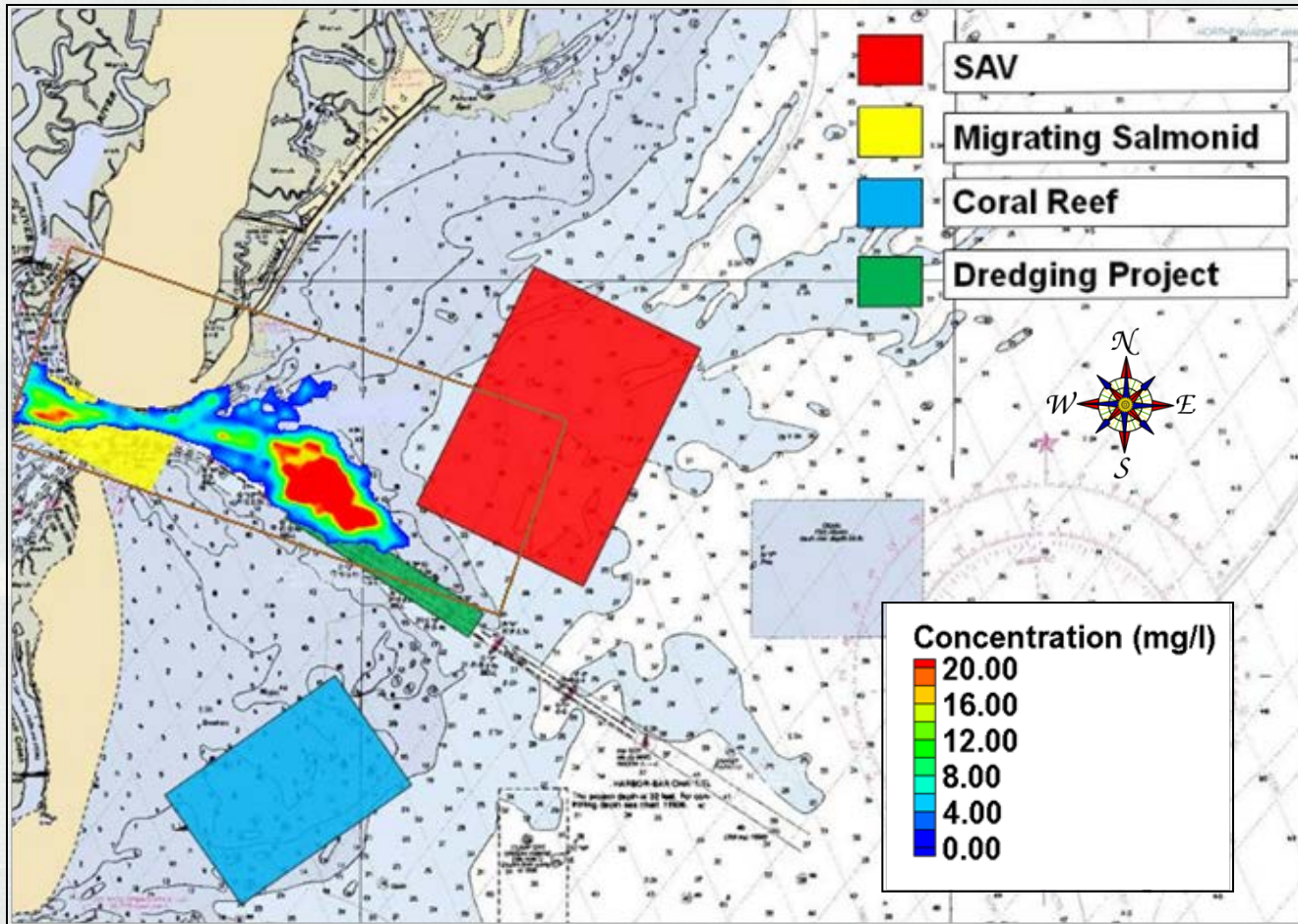


# Dredging Materials and Management





# Suspended Sediment Concentration (Particle Density)



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# **Determine Sources of Sediment Responsible for Channel Infilling at Port Orford Port for Different Breakwater Configurations**



# CMS Grid and Setting

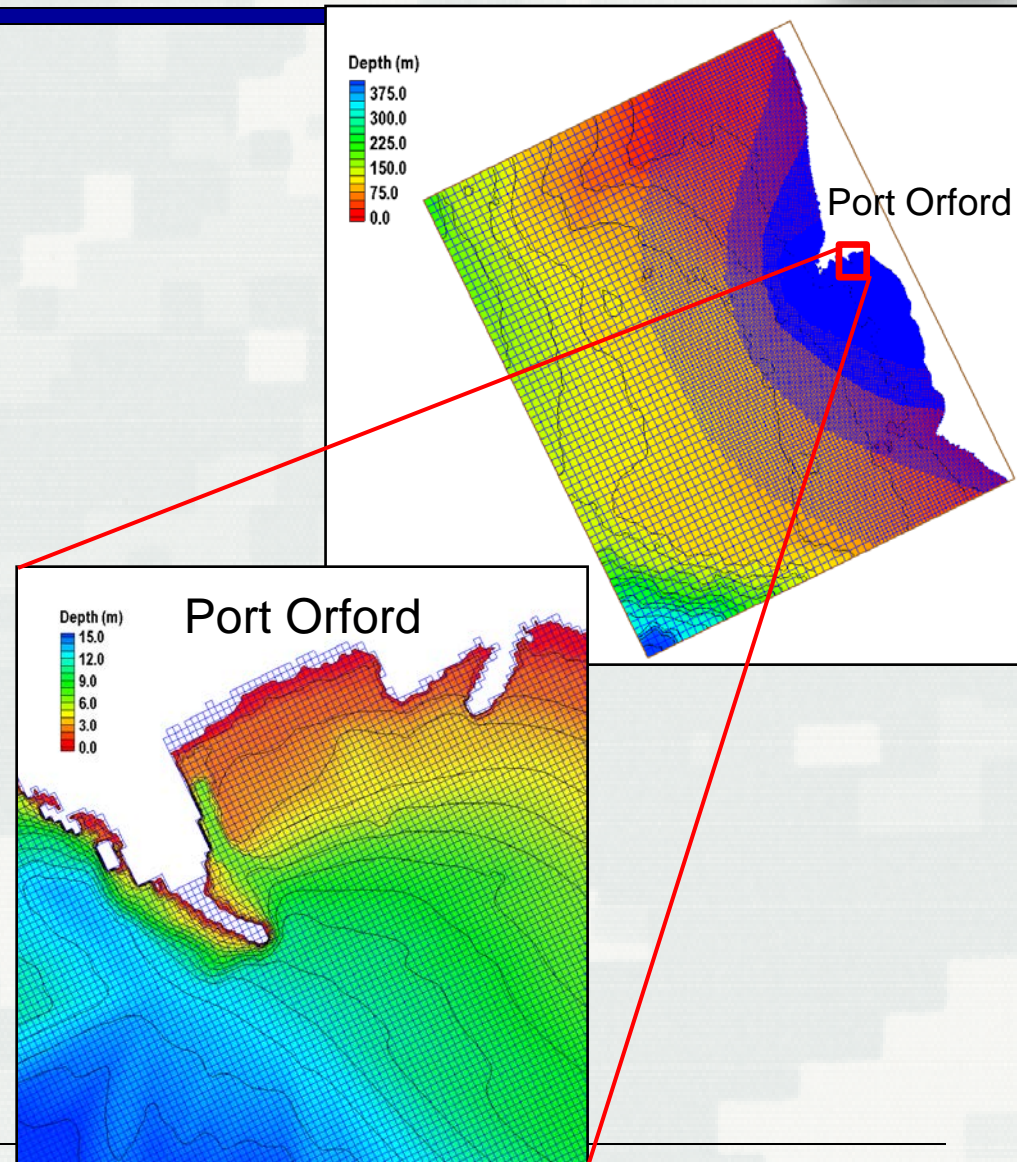
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Telescoping

Domain Size: 21 x 16 km

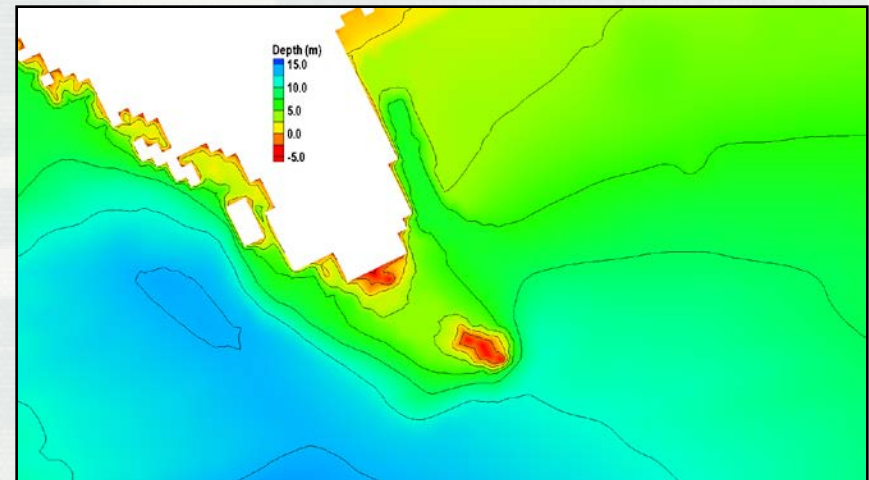
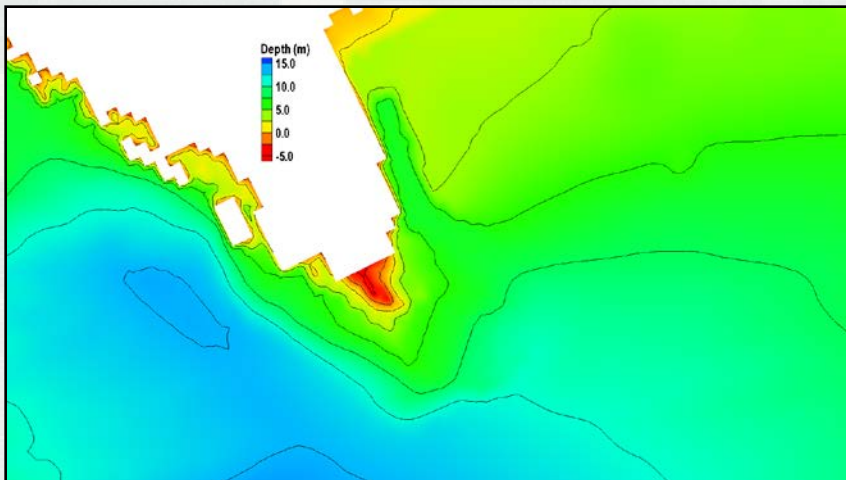
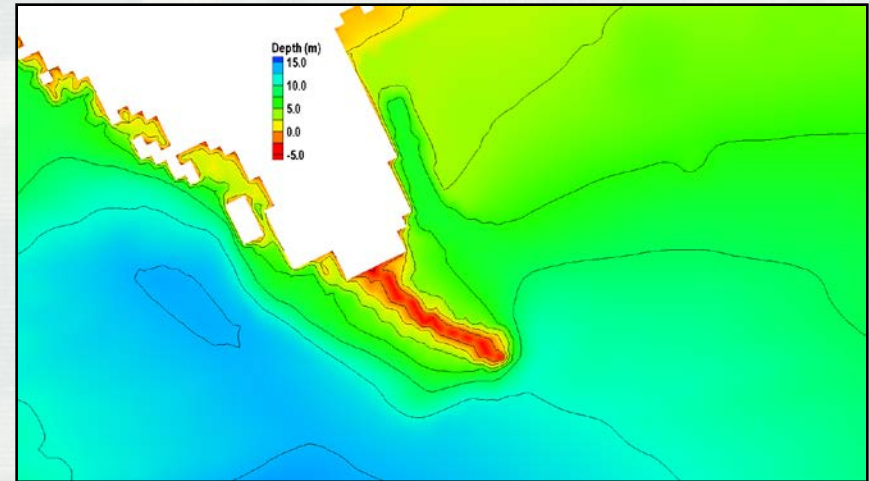
Cell Size: 10 to 3200 m

Water Depth: 0 to 400 m



# Breakwater Configuration

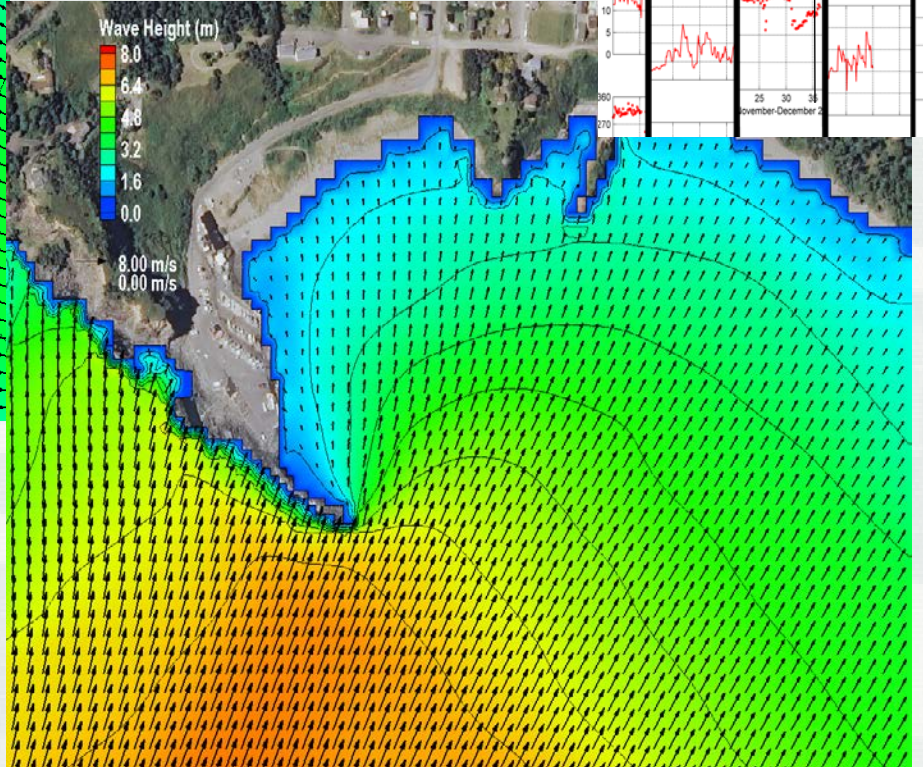
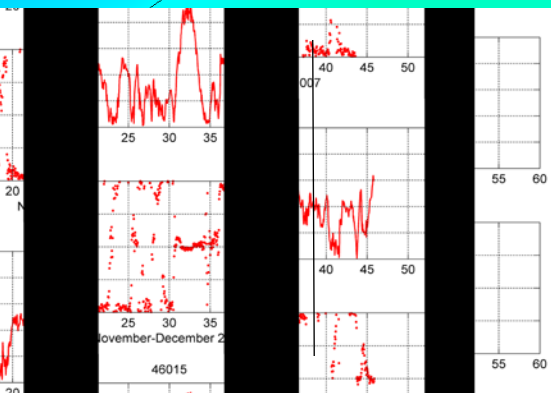
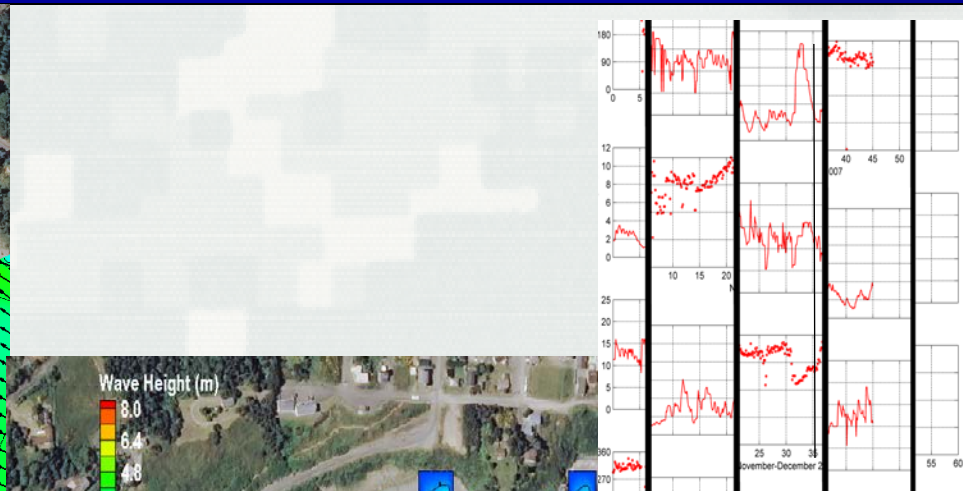
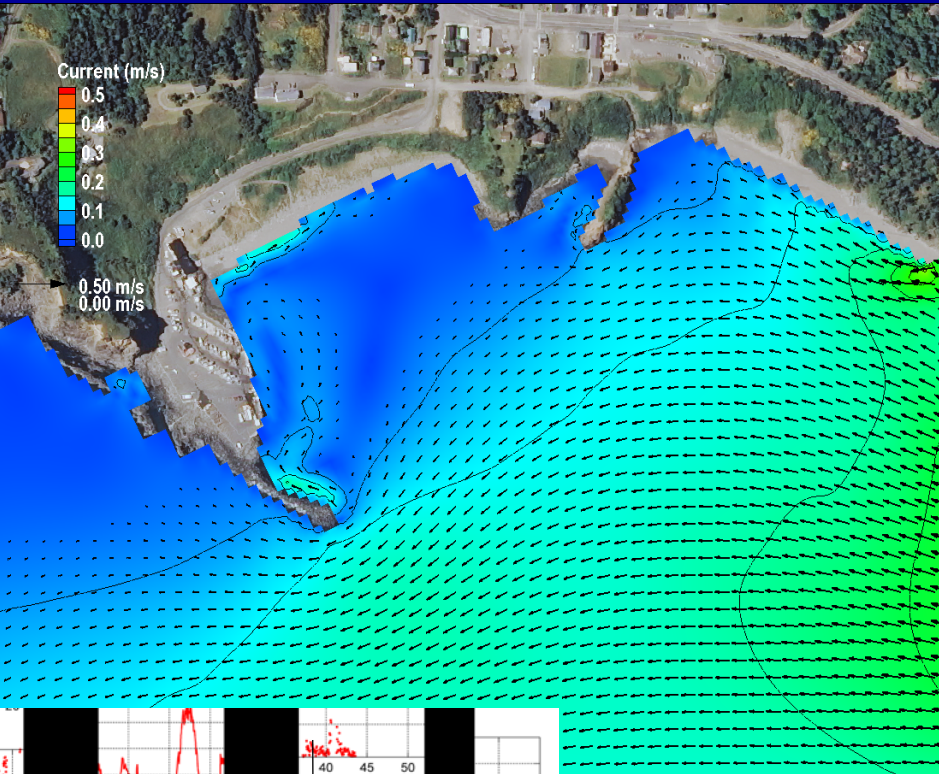
- Restore breakwater
  - Crest elevation: 16.1 ft above MSL
- Open mid-section notch
  - Length: 250 ft
  - Crest elevation: 8.9 ft above MSL
- Remove breakwater





# Current and Waves

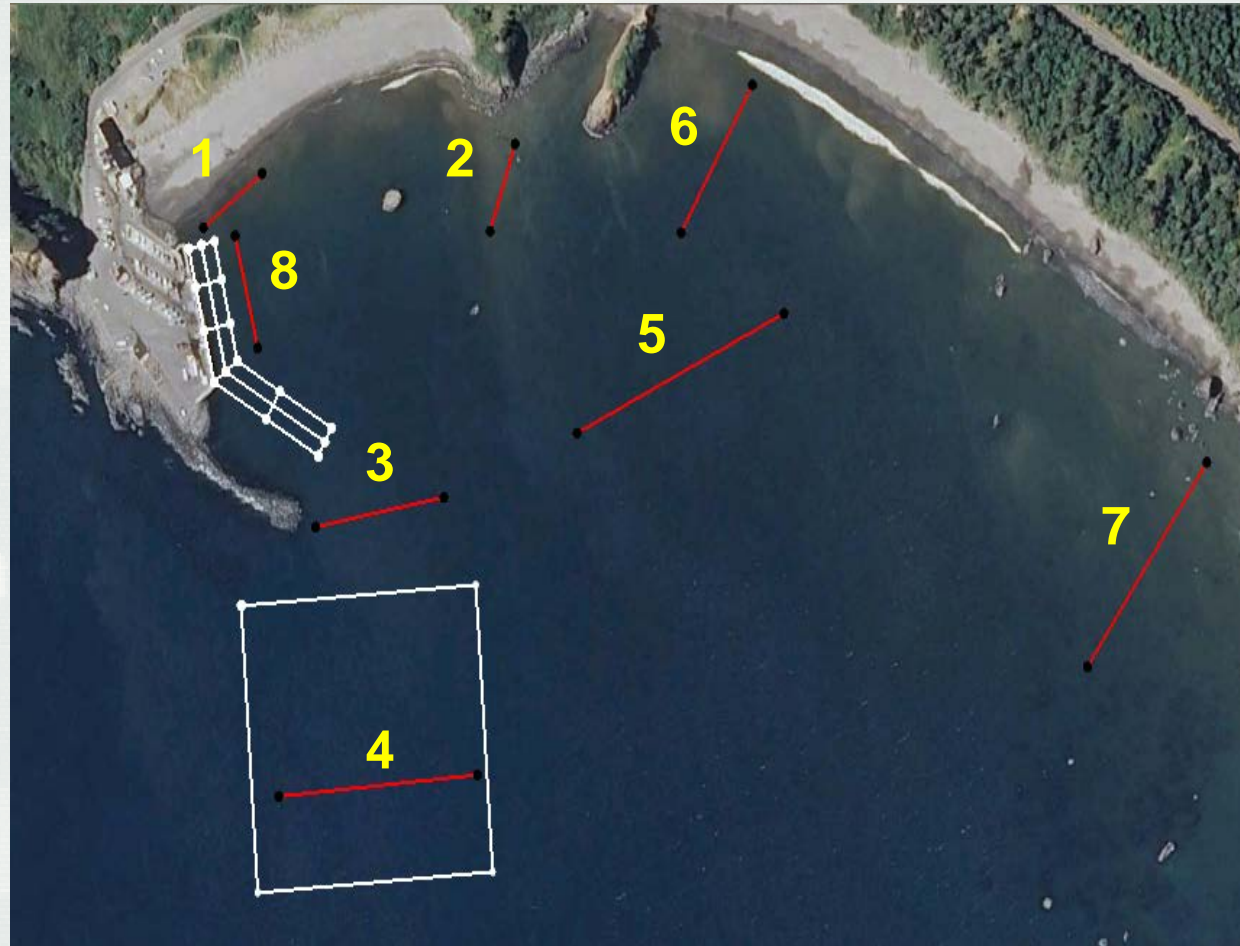
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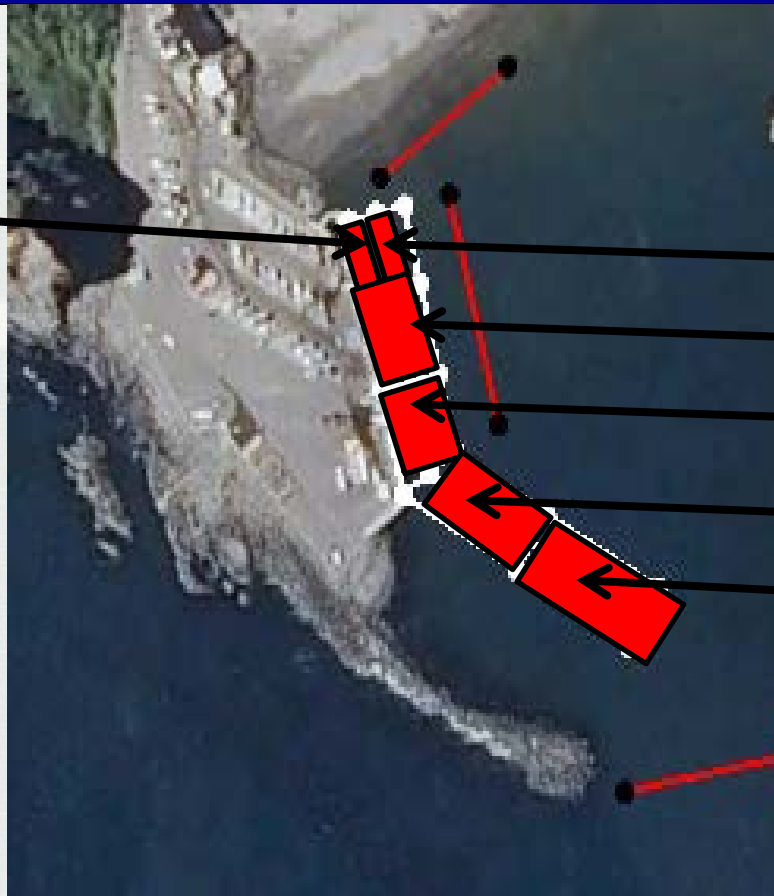


# Source Locations

- Sediment sources locations were determined through consultation by:
  - ERDC Team
  - Portland District
  - Port of Port Orford
- Sources are erosion sources (particles are initially at the bed)

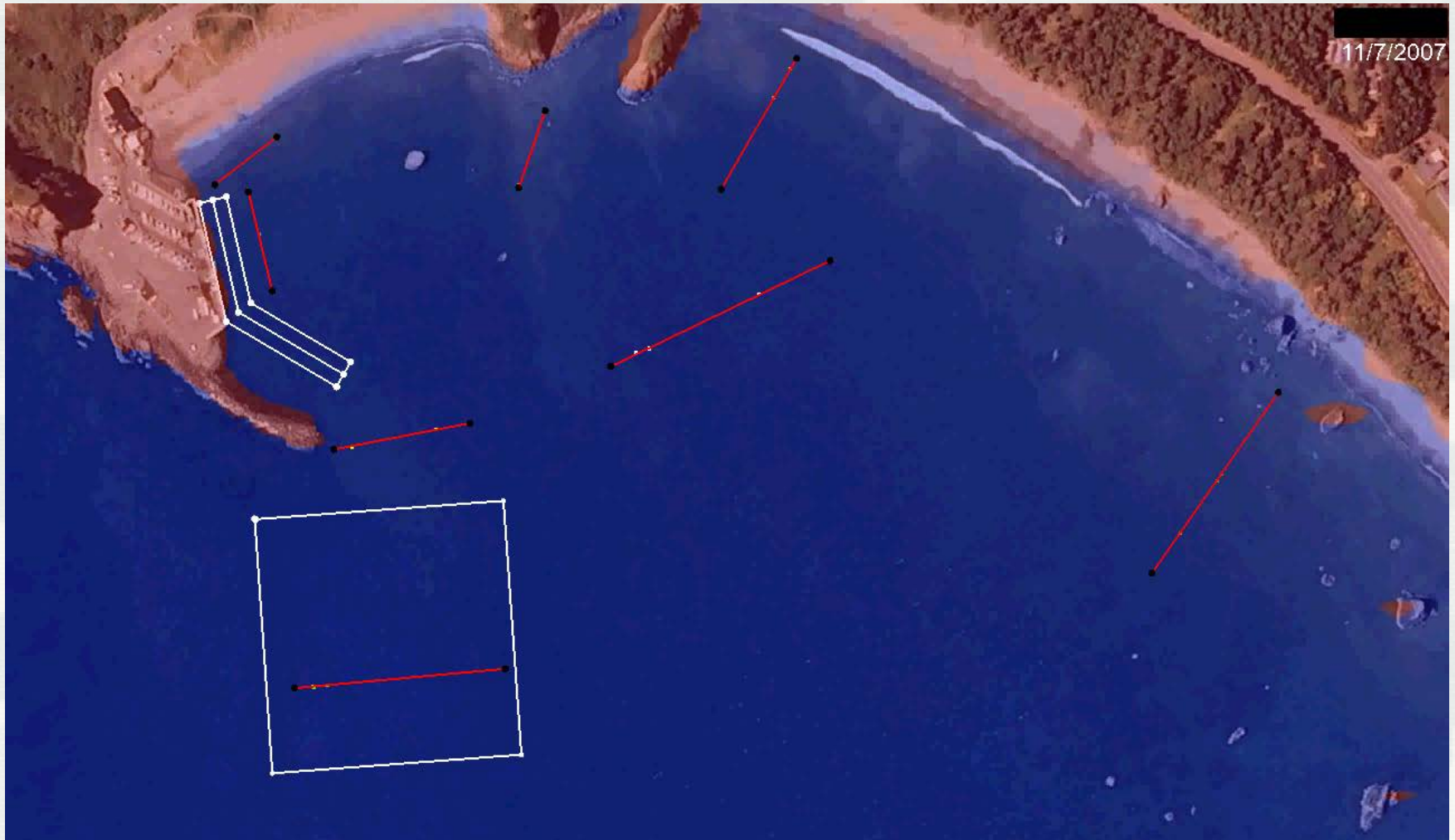


# Analysis Traps



- A series of traps were developed for analysis purposes.
- Trap height is approximately half the depth.
- Traps are designed as closed traps (when a particle enters trap, it is counted and transport calculations for the particle ceases)

# Modified Breakwater





# Comparison (Nov/Dec)

